Public Hearing Notice For Proposed Administrative Rules for 'Iolani Palace State Monument

The Department of Land and Natural Resources (DLNR) will hold public hearings to amend Hawaii Administrative Rules (HAR). Currently, the 'Iolani Palace State Monument is subject to general State Park rules. The proposed amendment to the rules would establish new administrative rules specific to 'Iolani Palace State Monument that will help protect and preserve the historic and cultural significance of the Monument and to meet the Monument's educational mission to preserve the character of the era of Hawaii's monarchy.

The hearings are scheduled as follows:

Tuesday, August 12, 2008, 6:30 pm, Kaunakakai Elementary School Cafeteria, 30 Ailoa Street, Kaunakakai, HI 96748

Tuesday, August 12, 2008, 5 pm, Lanai High and Elementary School, Room L16, 555 Fraser Ave., Lanai City, HI 96763

Wednesday, August 13, 2008, 6:30 pm, DLNR Boardroom 132, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Honolulu, HI 96813

Wednesday, August 13, 2008, 6:30 pm, Events Pavilion, Old Kona Airport Park, 75-5480 Kuakini Highway, Kailua-Kona, HI 96740

Wednesday, August 13, 2008, 6:30 pm, Maui County Planning Department Conference Room, 1st floor, 250 South High Street, Wailuku, HI 96793

Thursday, August 14, 2008, 6:30 pm, Conference Rooms A, B, & C, State Office Building, 75 Aupuni Street. Hilo, HI 96720

Monday, August 18, 2008, 6:30 pm, State Office Building 2nd Floor Conference Room, 3060 Eiwa Street, Room 209, Lihue, HI 96766

All interested persons are urged to attend a public hearing to present relevant information and individual opinion for the DLNR to consider. Persons unable to attend or wishing to present additional comments, may mail written testimony by Friday, September 5, 2008 to Administrator, DLNR Division of State Parks, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 310, Honolulu, HI 96813.

Any person requiring a special accommodation (i.e., large print materials, sign language interpreters) is asked to contact Steve Thompson at (808) 587-0303 by August 5, 2008. The proposed rules are on the internet at www.hawaiistateparks.org/administrative/index.cfm. A copy of the proposed rule changes will be mailed at no charge upon receipt of verbal or written request to Administrator, DLNR Division of State Parks, 1151 Punchbowl Street, Room 310, Honolulu, HI 96813.

Approved/Disapproved

aura H. Thielen, Chairperson

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